

VERMONT AGENCY OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
FISH & WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT  
TURNER HILL WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA

**DRAFT LONG RANGE MANAGEMENT  
PLAN PUBLIC MEETING**



**Thursday, April 18, 2019**

**6:00-7:30 p.m.  
Athens School, Athens, VT**

The 1,052-acre Turner Hill Wildlife Management Area is located in the towns of Grafton and Athens and is owned by the Vermont Fish & Wildlife Department for the purposes of fish and wildlife conservation, and to provide public access to enjoy these resources.

The meeting will provide an opportunity for members of the public to review the highlights of the draft long-range management plan and ask questions. A short presentation will open the meeting, followed by a discussion with comments recorded by staff. This is the first management plan that has been created for this site. The plan focuses on wildlife habitat improvement and protection of rare, threatened and endangered species. The draft plan and general information about these lands is available on the Forests, Parks and Recreation website (<https://fpr.vermont.gov/turner-hill-wildlife-management-area>). A hard copy will also be available in the town offices of Athens and Grafton.

The meeting will be held from **6:00 to 7:30 p.m.** on **Thursday April 18, 2019** at the **Athens School** (28 Brookline Road), Athens, Vermont.

In addition to commenting at the public meeting, comments will be accepted via email or by mail to the address listed below. **Comments will be accepted until May 21, 2019.**

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**Directions:**

*From the I-91:* Take exit 5 and go into the Village of Bellows Falls. Take Route 121 West toward Grafton and Saxtons River 7.5 miles. Take left onto VT Route 35 Athens Road go 1.3 miles. Take slight left onto Brookline Road .2 miles. Destination will be on your right.

*From the South:* Take VT Route 35 North 8.9 miles to sharp right turn onto Brookline Road. Go .2 miles. Destination will be on your right.

*From the North:* From Grafton take VT Route 121 East toward Bellows Falls 3.9 miles. Continue onto Rt. 35 and take slight left onto Brookline Road for .2 miles. Destination will be on your right.